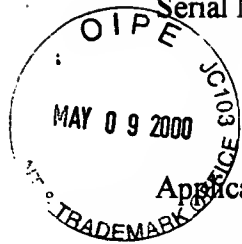


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 10, 1999, please amend the
above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 11 as follows:

11. (amended) A method of assisting a user with the task of categorizing [an] electronic
documents into a collection, comprising the steps of:

classifying, with a classifier, a [the] document to obtain a plurality of most likely
categorical labels;

displaying, to the user, a representation of the plurality of most likely categorical labels;